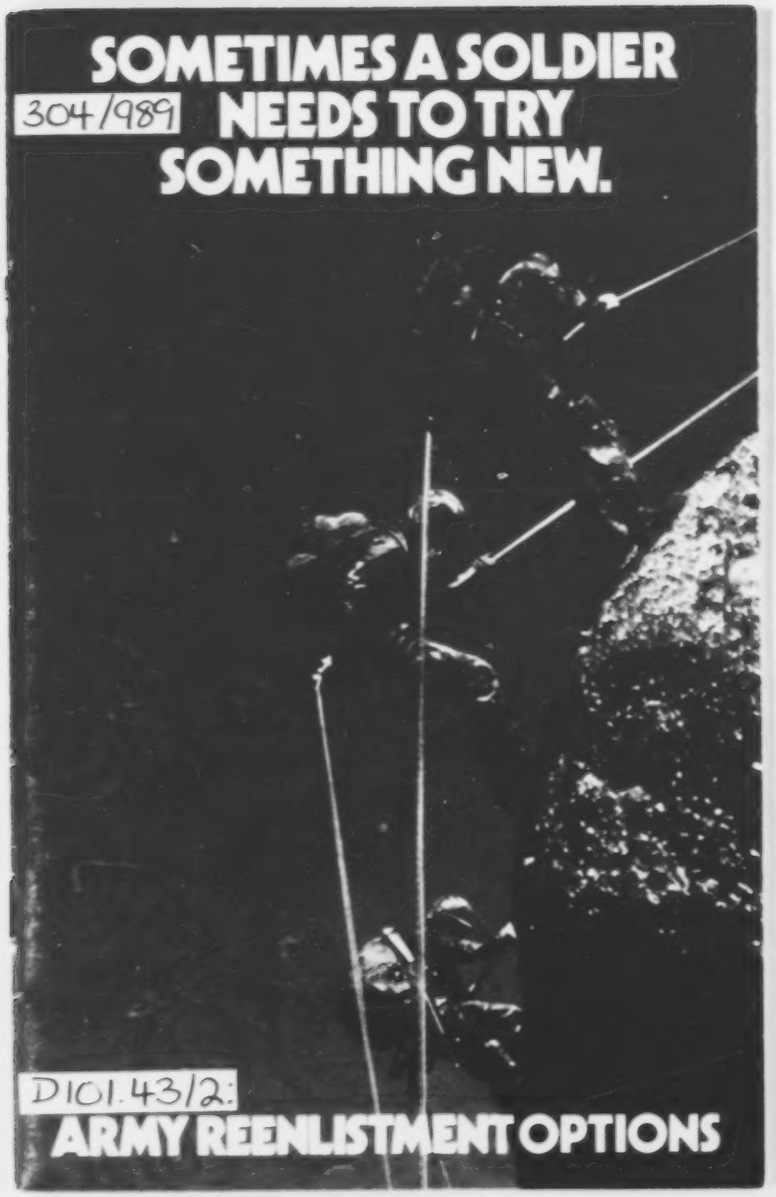

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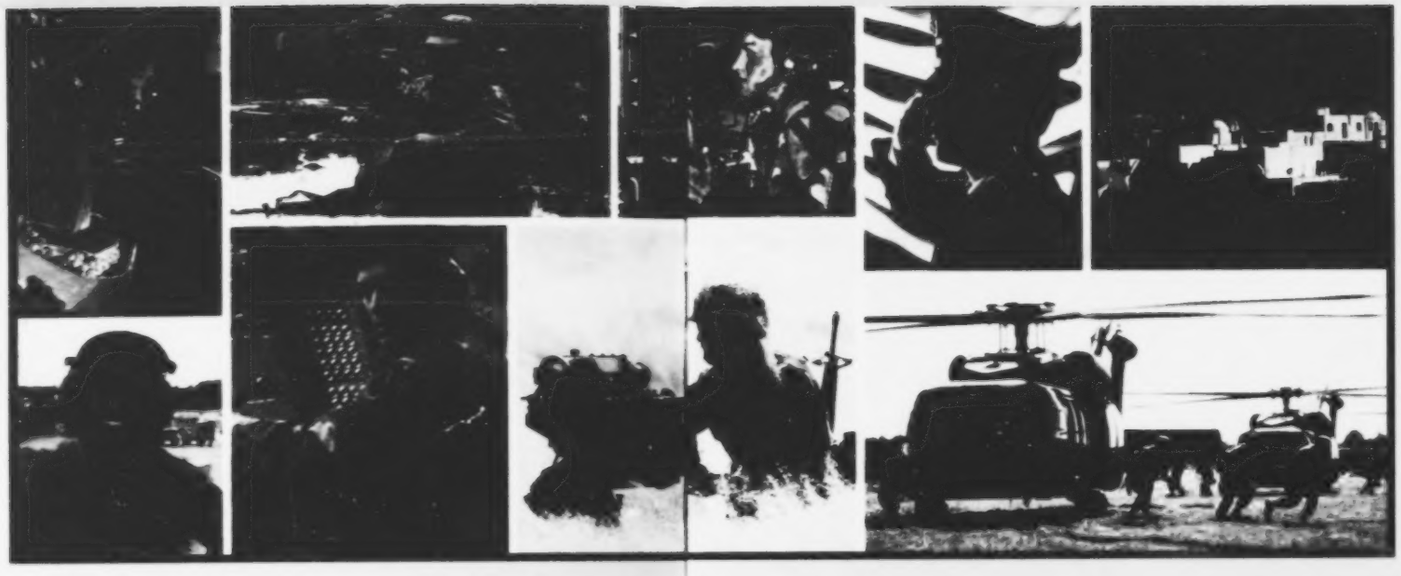

INTRODUCTION

You're a soldier.

You've overcome some tough physical and mental challenges.

You've made some great friends. And had some great times.

True, it hasn't always been easy, but you really didn't expect it to be.

Because being a soldier in today's Army is a real challenge. A challenge you met proudly.

You've given a lot to your country. And the Army has given a lot to you.

The opportunity to learn and grow. Real responsibility. Excitement. Good pay. Educational benefits. The chance to travel. And lots more.

Now your ETS is approaching, and so is a very important decision: should you reenlist?

A lot of soldiers don't, because they think they've done it all and seen it all.

Don't make the same mistake.

The truth is, reenlisting is the next step to an entirely new Army experience. With new challenges. New excitement. New rewards.

Take advantage of the Army's many Reenlistment Options. Any one can make you feel like a new soldier.

You can apply to learn the language of electronic communications in USAISC. Or learn a foreign language at a Defense Language School facility.

You can apply to join the elite Old Guard or to learn modern intelligence methods with INSCOM/EW.

You can apply for the Regiment of Choice Option, that lets you serve with old friends.

You can apply for a new job. Or a new job location.

You can go overseas and live and work in a foreign land, such as Europe, Korea or Panama.

And if your present duty assignment holds a bright future for you, you may be able to reenlist to stay where you are.

So you see, reenlisting in today's Army doesn't have to mean doing more of the same.

This booklet outlines all the reenlistment options the Army offers. Qualify, and the option you want is yours, provided openings are available.

Read through this booklet thoroughly. Talk to your family about the options available.

Above all, talk to your Retention NCO. He's there to give you some straight answers to your reenlistment questions.

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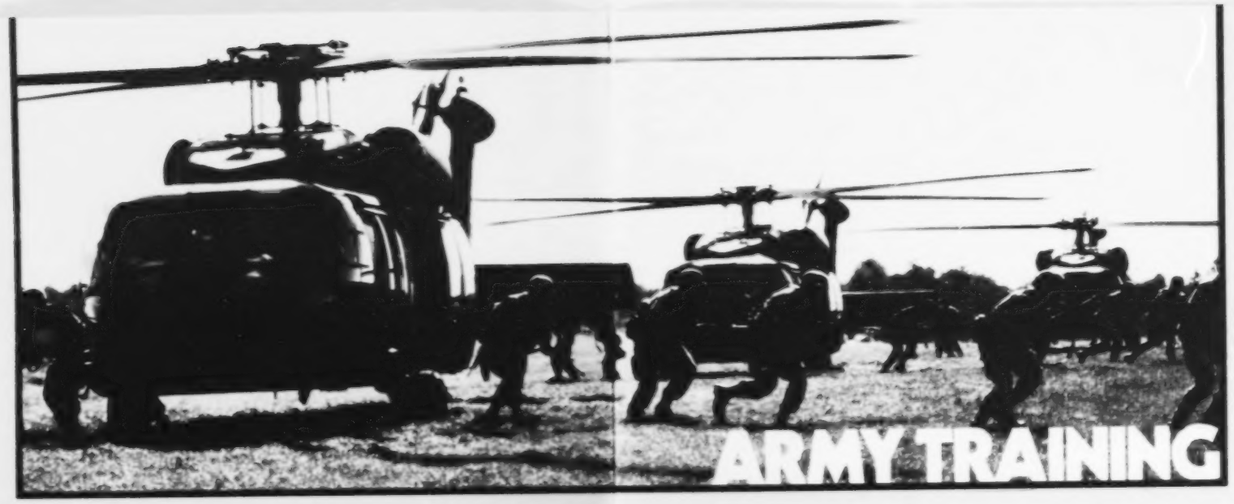
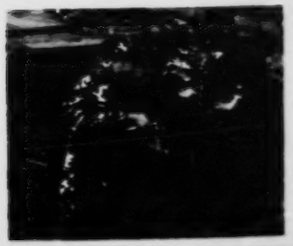


A new job can make you feel like a new soldier.

Under the Army Service School/ Army Training Center/Airborne Training Option, you can reenlist for a new MOS or, possibly, for airborne duty in your present MOS.

If you decide to select a new MOS, the training you'll receive can prepare you for a new future. There are hundreds of MOSs to choose from: aircraft technician, artilleryman, X-ray technician, auto mechanic, and scores of others. Just be sure your choice matches the Army's needs.



If you like your present MOS, but would also like to become airborne-qualified, you may be able to reenlist for airborne training. As long as your MOS is authorized in airborne units, you can reenlist for training and assignment to the 82nd Airborne Division.

Either way, you must meet all basic reenlistment criteria and the qualifications for the particular MOS you select.

Of course, there are certain jobs for which openings are more readily available, such as military intelligence and combat arms.

The Army Service School/Army Training Center/Airborne Training Option. It's a great way to switch jobs, learn a different skill, or become a part of an elite fighting unit—all without switching employers.

See your Retention NCO for details.

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REGIMENT OF CHOICE

If you like a feeling of stability, a sense of camaraderie and belonging, and the opportunity to serve with old friends, the Regiment of Choice Reenlistment Option may be for you.

You may be able to reenlist and stay in your present Regiment or reenlist for a different Regiment. If you are not serving with a Regiment now, you may still be able to reenlist for one.

Serving in one of the Army's Regiments can help you make long-range plans for your family and your career. You'll know where the Army Regiments are located, both overseas and in CONUS, which will help you make some important decisions for the future.

With the Regiment of Choice Option, you'll also have a chance to serve with many of the same friends you've come to know.

Of course you'll still be eligible for assignments outside your Regiment, such as drill sergeant, recruiting duty and continuing education courses that you'll need to keep your career moving ahead. But even while you're away from your Regiment, you'll remain a part of the unit and soldiers you've shared so much with.

If you like a sense of belonging and want more stability in your career and your life, the Regiment of Choice Option could be just what you need. See your Retention NCO.

BERLIN BRIGADE

Approximately 100 miles into Eastern Europe lies Berlin, a city divided by World War II.

Yet the spirit and democratic ideals of its people still thrive.

Why? One reason is the Army's Berlin Brigade.

This unit symbolizes our country's undying commitment to the cause of freedom in Europe, and around the world.

And you can be part of this special commitment, if you reenlist for the Berlin Brigade Option.

It isn't always an easy duty. But knowing you're one of the first lines of defense between freedom and tyranny makes it all worthwhile.

The qualifications for this reenlistment option are high. But if you make it, you'll get a guaranteed minimum 24-month tour.

Still interested? Then reenlist for a great challenge. Reenlist for the Berlin Brigade. It can make you feel like a new soldier.

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COMBAT ARMS

Is there a special combat arms unit you'd like to be part of?

How about the 3rd Armored "Spearhead" Division? Or the 82nd Airborne "All American"? Or the 1st Infantry "Big Red One" Division?

Maybe you'd like to join one of the Army's elite Special Forces groups where, for the special effort you put out, you receive a special kind of pride?

Reenlist under the Combat Arms Unit of Choice Option, and you may be able to have your pick of the best outfits in the Army, anywhere in the world.

You don't have to be in a combat arms unit now. Most of these units have vacancies in just about every MOS imaginable. And they all need good soldiers.

The Army guarantees your 12 months' stabilization with one of the stateside units, or a minimum of 24 months in Europe, Alaska, Panama, or Hawaii.

If the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea is your choice, the Army will guarantee you a normal tour length.

So become the kind of soldier you always wanted to be. Reenlist for the Combat Arms Unit of Choice Option. It can make you feel like a new soldier.

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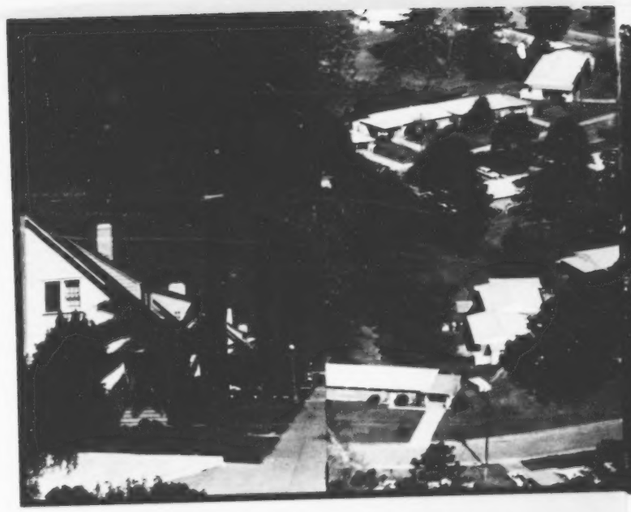
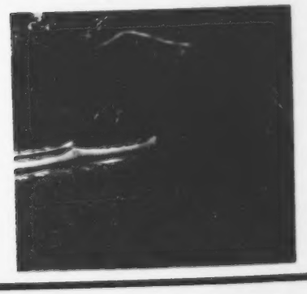


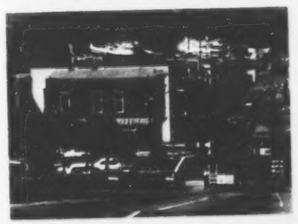
CONUS TO CONUS

If the thought of staying in your present location is stopping you from staying in the Army, and if you're a first-termer, you can reenlist to relocate—under the Army's CONUS TO CONUS Option.

You can reenlist for Fort Ord, nestled between scenic Monterey and bustling San Francisco. Or Fort Bliss, located just 10 miles from the Mexican border.

Or Fort Polk, where you can spend





your weekends in jazzy New Orleans. Or Fort Devens, located in the heart of the New England countryside.

Whichever you choose, the Army will make every effort to get you there.

Naturally, a lot depends on whether your MOS is needed at your desired location.

The CONUS TO CONUS Option. Think of it as the "Cross Country" option. Because that's exactly how far it can take you. And that can certainly make you feel like a new soldier.

This option may be suspended from time to time. See your Retention NCO for more details.

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If you're overseas and want stateside duty, reenlist under the CONUS Station Option.

It's the option that can bring you home.

Naturally, a lot depends on the openings available at the time of your reenlistment. So start planning early. If you're overseas and your first CONUS station of choice is unavailable, you may have to wait a little while. But the Army will make every effort to relocate you within a reasonable amount of time.

The CONUS Station Option can open the door to an entirely new experience. And that can make you feel like a new soldier.

See your Retention NCO for more details.

Today's Army is a modern, highly technological Army. And you can reenlist to learn a high-tech skill, if you qualify for the U.S. Army Information Systems Command (USAISC).

You'll serve in one of over a hundred and forty MOSs. Upon successful completion of your training, you'll be assigned to a USAISC unit with a 16-month stabilization.

You may learn Morse code and voice radio operation, microwave systems repair, radio teletype operation, or satellite communications earth station repair.

You may also learn how to repair or operate multichannel communications equipment, or control tactical circuits, or repair communications security gear—including equipment that puts voice or teletype into code.

And you can serve in the U.S., or in one of several overseas areas, if openings are available.

So reenlist for the field of high tech. Reenlist for USAISC. It can make you feel like a new soldier.

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OLD GUARD

March with one of the Army's oldest and most historic outfits, right through the streets of Washington, D.C.

An outfit that's the personal honor guard of the President of the United States, and responsible for the security of our nation's capital.

That's the 3rd Infantry (also known as the Old Guard), created in 1784 by the Continental Congress.

You can be part of this historical outfit, if you reenlist for the Old Guard Option.

As one of its members, you'll attend more than 70 White House ceremonies a year, honoring dignitaries and visiting heads of State. You may also guard the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. And when you march on official holidays and national ceremonies, you will represent the entire United States Army.

Qualifications are high. Maintaining a level of personal conduct, appearance, and pride prescribed by the Army is a must.

Failure to maintain the demanding standards may mean an immediate reassignment.

Succeed, and the Army guarantees you an assignment with the 3rd Infantry for a period of up to three years.

Reenlist for an outfit that stands out in the nation's capital. Reenlist for the Old Guard. It can make you feel like a new soldier.

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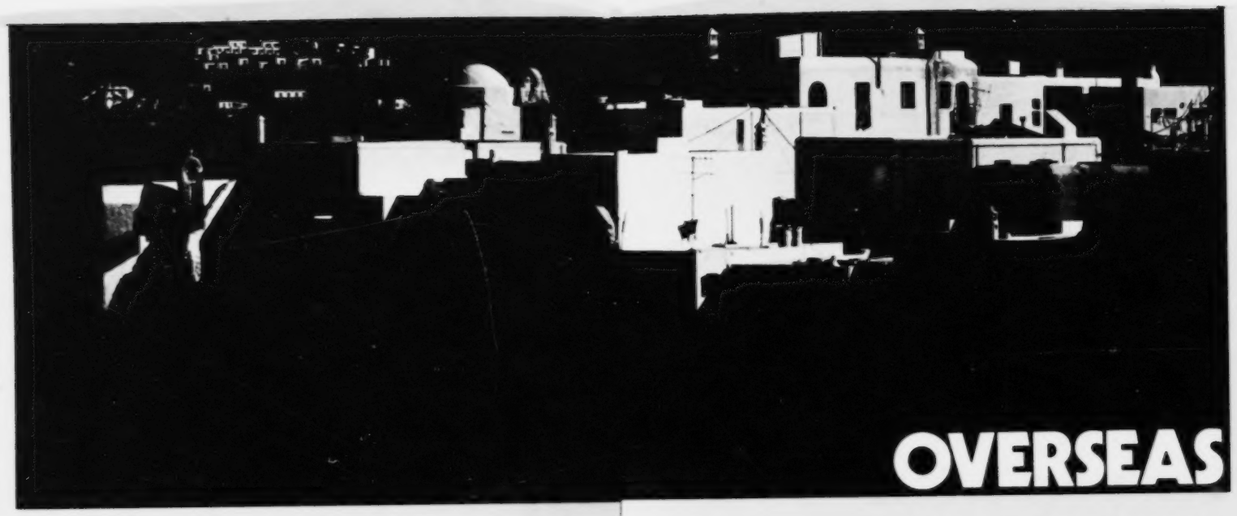

OVERSEAS

How would you like to spend a year in Greece, or Germany, or some other European country?

With your ETS approaching, there's nothing stopping you. Just reenlist for the Overseas Area Option.

Imagine enjoying an entirely new lifestyle in a different part of the world, with the same benefits you've been enjoying all along.

In most places, you'll continue to have PX privileges, medical and dental care, and housing.

The Army guarantees you a minimum of twelve months in long-tour areas (ask your NCO which ones they are). Normally, you'll complete the prescribed tour for the Overseas area if you qualify and reenlist for 4, 5, or 6 years.

Although tours in Europe are more readily available, you can also reenlist for a tour in Korea, the Pacific, Alaska, or Panama.

The Overseas Area Option. It's a great way to serve your country as you serve yourself. It's also a great way to feel like a new soldier.

See your Retention NCO for more details.

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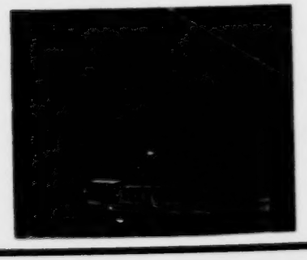
CURRENT STAT'ION STABILIZATIO

You're in CONUS, and you're just not sure where you want to go next.

Or maybe you're overseas, doing a job you enjoy, working with people you enjoy. And you'd like to keep it that way for up to 24 more months.

Why not reenlist for more of the same? Under the Current Station Stabilization Option.

Reenlisting for Current Station Stabilization can actually make you feel like a new soldier. Because, by reenlisting, you may be opening the door to an entirely new Army experience. With new challenges. New excitement. New rewards.



You can reenlist for two, three, four, five, or six years. This covers all permanent party personnel, E-7 or below, regardless of time of service. And you'll be assigned to your present duty—or any vacancy you're qualified for—at your present station.

Of course, you have to meet all basic eligibility criteria, and no promises can be made that your assignment will last through your entire enlistment.

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SPECIAL FORCES

Can you imagine yourself thundering through the night sky toward the Drop Zone, daubed in camouflage, staggering back from the inflight rigging station under the load of two chutes, field pack, ammo, gas mask, flotation and web gear?

If so, then maybe you're special enough for Special Forces/Ranger.

And the Special Forces Option will give you the opportunity to find out.

But you have to qualify. That means being airborne-qualified, having an MOS that's needed by a Special Forces, or Ranger unit, and being eligible for a SECRET security clearance.

You must be physically able to perform all duties and missions involving airborne, airmobile, or amphibious operations. Plus, you must be able to meet all reenlistment criteria, and maintain the highest level of personal conduct and appearance.

If you fail, you will not be offered a second choice, but will be reassigned according to the Army's needs.

Still interested? Then reenlist for Special Forces, or Ranger. It can make you feel like a new soldier.

See your Retention NCO for more details.

INSCOM/EW

Interested in reenlisting for duties that have a real world mission?

You can, if you qualify to apply for the Intelligence and Security Command and Electronic Warfare/Cryptologic Units and Training Option (INSCOM/EW).

In preparation for an INSCOM assignment, your schooling will be extensive.

First of all, you may have the opportunity to learn a foreign language, because you may be assigned to an intelligence mission that requires that skill in Europe, Korea, the Pacific, or Panama.

You may also learn to use or repair highly technical electronic and imaging equipment.

If you can handle it, you'll be on your way to becoming part of an organization that actively supports our security effort.

To qualify, you must be a high school graduate, be in excellent mental health, be eligible for a SECRET security clearance, and be able to pass all basic reenlistment criteria.

The INSCOM/EW Option. The work is challenging, interesting, and very important. And that can make you feel like a new soldier.

See your Retention NCO for more details.

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SUMMARY

This booklet offers you some realistic alternatives to leaving the Army. And nearly every one is open to qualified men and women. But the Army knows that not every soldier will want to reenlist, for whatever reasons.

For those who leave, the Army offers you a special thanks for a job well done.

For those of you who stay in, the Army offers a lot more.

We hope this booklet helped to explain just how much reenlisting can make you feel like a new soldier.

We've highlighted most of the reenlistment options, but there are several other areas you should know about.

In addition, if you're interested in playing in a U.S. Army Band, or joining one of the Army's special intelligence fields, becoming a U.S. Army Recruiter, or serving as a member of the elite Rangers or Special Forces, you should see your Retention NCO.

He can explain all the available options and help you choose the one that's best for you. Not with a lot of double-talk, but with some straight advice on how you can make your next enlistment even more rewarding.

Your Retention NCO. We've come to think of him as our reenlistment authority. But we're sure you'll think of him as your friend.

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HOW TO GET WHAT YOU WANT.

Each of the Army's many Reenlistment Options can open the door to an entirely new Army experience.

But what if you can't get what you want when you want it?

Don't worry. Because it's possible that another Army option might afford you the same opportunity.

For example, you can learn a foreign language under the INSCOM/EW Option, as well as under the Special Forces/Ranger Option.

This chart explains all the ways you can get what you want in your next enlistment.

	HIGH-TECH SKILLS	LEARN A FOREIGN LANGUAGE	NEW LOCATIONS	NEW SKILLS	OVERSEAS DUTY	SAME LOCATION	SPECIAL DUTY	TOUR OF DUTY IN EUROPE
ARMY TRAINING	★		★	★	★			
REGIMENT OF CHOICE			★		★			★
BERLIN BRIGADE			★		★		★	★
COMBAT ARMS			★	★	★			★
CONUS TO CONUS			★					
CONUS STATION			★					
USAISC	★		★	★	★			★
OLD GUARD			★				★	
OVERSEAS			★		★			★
CURRENT STATION STABILIZATION						★		★
SPECIAL FORCES/RANGERS		★	★	★	★		★	
INSCOM EW		★	★	★	★		★	★

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